Mountain Weather Forecast

North Grampian

Including North and West Cairngorms National Park, Monadhliath, Ben Alder, Creag Meagaidh, Loch Ericht and Loch Rannoch
Forecast valid from 06:00 on Saturday 22 Aug 2020 until 23:59 on Sunday 23 Aug 2020

Forecast Issued on Saturday 22 Aug 2020 at 03:56 by Met Office Aberdeen

Confidence: High for showery conditions but some uncertainty on exact location of precipitation.

Headline for Saturday 22 Aug 2020: Cloudy, with gusty showers throughout the day.

Mountain weather hazards on Saturday 22 Aug 2020

Blizzards
No Likelihood

Heavy Snow
No Likelihood

Storm force winds
No Likelihood

Gales
Low Likelihood

Severe chill effect
No Likelihood

Poor visibility
Medium Likelihood

Thunderstorms
No Likelihood

Heavy persistent rain
No Likelihood

Strong sunlight
No Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 800m					
Time					
06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Heavy Rain	Heavy Rain	Cloudy	Heavy Rain	Mist	Light rain
Precipitation probability					
60%	60%	40%	40%	40%	60%

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Weather: Cloudy with outbreaks of rain through the first part of the morning, with showers, potentially heavy, following behind. Gusty southwesterly winds associated with showers, particularly near summits. Drier for a time into the evening with some late sunshine breaking through the cloud.

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 800m: Low through much of the day.

Visibility: Good outside of showers at lower levels.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph) Wind Direction (blowing from)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
1300	35/45 SW	30/39 W	27/36 W	26/35 W	20/27 W	17/23 W	18/24 NW
900	35/41 SW	30/37 SW	26/34 SW	25/32 SW	17/22 W	15/19 W	14/18 W
600	23/30 SW	21/28 SW	19/27 SW	17/24 SW	12/17 W	10/14 W	9/13 W
300	12/26 SW	12/26 SW	12/26 SW	10/22 SW	6/15 W	5/13 W	7/15 NW
Glen	5/19 SW	6/20 SW	7/23 SW	7/20 W	5/15 W	3/13 W	4/14 NW

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
1300	6/-0	6/-0	6/0	6/1	6/2	6/2	5/0
900	9/3	8/3	9/4	9/5	9/6	9/6	8/4
600	10/7	10/7	11/8	12/8	12/9	11/9	10/8
300	12/10	12/10	14/12	14/12	13/12	12/11	11/10
Glen	12/11	14/12	16/13	16/14	15/14	13/12	11/10
Freezing Level*	2500m	2400m	2400m	2400m	2400m	2400m	2200m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Met Office Aberdeen Meteorologist's View
Feeling unseasonably cold on or near summits, with strong winds.

Forecast for Sunday 23 Aug 2020
Weather: A much drier day, with a low chance of catching an isolated shower during the morning. A good chance of bright or sunny spells from late morning onwards, feeling more pleasant than Saturday with light winds.

Maximum wind: Northwesterly 10-15 mph.

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 800m: Moderate through the first half of the morning but high through the rest of the day.

Visibility: Generally good, temporary reductions in any showers at first.

Temperature: **Glens:** Plus 8 Celsius rising to plus 14 Celsius.
At 800m: Plus 5 Celsius
Freezing level: Above summits

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